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**Title: ENHANCED BILL ACCEPTOR/DISPENSER FOR
VENDING MACHINES**

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**RESPONSE UNDER RULE 1.116 –
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

In response to the final OFFICE ACTION dated March 3, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.